



AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116
EXPEDITED PROCEDURE
GROUP 1634
PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of

Docket No: Q58690

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Appln. No.: 09/624,395

Group Art Unit: 1634

Confirmation No.: 6421

Examiner: B. Forman

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For: MICRO ARRAY AND ANALYZING METHOD USING THE SAME

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Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

This Amendment is responsive to the Office Action mailed July 17, 2003. The examiner set a three month period for the response. Attached hereto and herein incorporated by reference is a Petition for a one-month extension of time, making the due date for response November 17, 2003.

Please amend the above-identified application as shown on the following pages.